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10675207 Measuring Temperature OF ROTATING EQUIPMENT with Sealed Bearings

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| BRS | L7 | 14 | (US-6725723-\$ or US-6672168-\$ or US-6499349-\$ or US-6202491-\$ or US-6078874-\$ or US-6006164-\$ or US-5992237-\$ or US-5808903-\$ or US-5533413-\$ or US-5377128-\$ or US-4827771-\$ or US-4800512-\$ or US-4612620-\$ or US-4121574-\$).did. | USPAT | 4/26/05 15:16 | pagemarked in the above search. See next... |
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| 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 6499349 B1 | US 6499349 | US Full | 1 | The operating condition can be determined by measuring the amplitude of vibrations in a bearing and by measuring temperature changes on the casing of the machine, which temperatures are dependent on the operating condition of the bearing. |
| 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 6078874 A | US 6078874 | US Full | 8 | Col. 2, Lines 1-4 -- different types of sensors, including temperature --- |
| 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 6078874 A | US 6078874 | US Full | 9 | Col. 3, Lines 8-12, art recognized equivalent sensors include temperature sensor: "A variety of sensor types may be employed in the practice of the invention. For example, the first sensor may be a vibration transducer which senses vibrations produced by the machine. Another sensor is a temperature sensor useful for sensing the temperature of the machine during operation." |
| 4 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 5808903 A | US 5808903 | US Full | 7 | PUMP data |
| 5 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 5808903 A | US 5808903 | US Full | 10 | portable data collector |
| 6 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 5808903 A | US 5808903 | US Full | 12 | Col. 6, Lines 55-60 -- may include various combinations of machine parameters (in addition to vibration and acceleration) |
| 7 | <input type="checkbox"/> EP 909430 B | WO 9801831 A1 | Foreign Full | 1 | (Empty) |
| 8 | <input type="checkbox"/> WO 9801831 A1 | WO 9801831 A1 | Foreign Full | 1 | (Empty) |
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| 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> EP 909430 B1 | EP 909430 B1 | Foreign Full | 1 | (Empty) |
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| 12 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 20010001135 A1 | US 20010001135 | US-PG Pub Full | 1 | (Empty) |
| 13 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 4800512 A | US 4800512 | US Full | 1 | In rotary engines or power units or sets, such as for example in the case of pumps, generators, fans, turbo-sets, compressors and the like, study of the running behavior is carried out at more or less regular intervals, with a view to detecting possible changes. These changes can lead for example to oscillations or pulsations and can be due to intermittent or shock pulses or wave emission conditions of the bearing (unbalanced), and as a result of temperature changes in the machine housing and in the bearings. Monitoring of the running behavior of such rotary machines is of great importance both for the safety and maintenance of such machines, as well as to ensure that their life is not shortened. |
| 14 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 6829542 B1 | US 6829542 | US Full | 1 | (Empty) |
| 15 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 6312226 B1 | US 6312226 | US Full | 1 | (Empty) |
| 16 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 4773766 A | US 4773766 | US Full | 1 | (Empty) |
| 17 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 6092370 A | US 6092370 | US Full | 1 | The first temperature sensor may be coupled to the pump head proximate to the seal and the second temperature sensor may be coupled to the pump head at an end-cap housing the outlet chamber. The first and second temperatures measured by the first and second temperature sensors are compared with first and second reference temperatures to determine whether either the inlet check valve, the seal, or the outlet check valve is malfunctioning prior to causing a severe failure of the pump head. |
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| 2 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> US 6078874 A | US 6078874 | US Full | 8 | Col. 2, Lines 1-4 -- different types of sensors, including temperature -- |
| 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> (Dup) US 6078874 A | US 6078874 | US Full | 9 | Col. 3, Lines 8-12, art recognized equivalent sensors include temperature sensor: "A variety of sensor types may be employed in the practice of the invention. For example, the first sensor may be a vibration transducer which senses vibrations produced by the machine. Another sensor is a temperature sensor useful for sensing the temperature of the machine during operation." |
| 4 | <input type="checkbox"/> US 6725723 B2 | US 6725723 | US Full | 1 | The operating condition can be determined by measuring the amplitude of vibrations in a bearing and by measuring temperature changes on the casing of the machine, which temperatures are dependent on the operating condition of the bearing. |
| 5 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (IDS) US 6202491 B1 | US 6202491 | US Full | 1 | A vibration coupling stud for use in a vibration monitoring system includes digital memory and temperature sensing devices. |
| 6 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (IDS) US 6006164 A | US 6006164 | US Full | 11 | (See Fig. 14) As bearing housing temperature is an important parameter in addition to the various forms of vibration data, the stud 14 may include an integral digital temperature sensor IC as set forth above, and therefore digital temperature data may also be retrieved at step 154. As will also be described below, the data stored in the stud may additionally comprise prior time and date stamped vibration and temperature measurements made at that measuring point. |
| 7 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Dup) US 6006164 A | US 6006164 | US Full | 12 | Alternative to continuous monitoring at all points -- less expensive portable monitoring probe (Col. 1, Lines 55-65) |
| 8 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (IDS) US 5533413 A | US 5533413 | US Full | 1 | Various kinds of sensors SN are provided at suitable locations on each equipment and serve to detect information on stress applied to the diagnosis target equipment. The diagnosis equipment may comprise dynamic equipment, such as valves, pumps, arcs, and static equipment, such as heat exchangers, distillation columns, etc. The sensors SN may comprise vibration sensors, temperature sensors, thickness sensors, acoustic emission (AE) sensors, and the like. |
| 9 | <input type="checkbox"/> (No Cite) US 5377128 A | US 5377128 | US Full | 1 | Instrumentation system includes a hand-held computer-based measuring meter having a visual display and a plurality of individual sensor modules that can be selectively coupled to the measuring meter for measuring one of a variety of parameters such as temperature, pressure, or the like. Each sensor module includes a sensor responsive to a particular stimulus, as well as a data memory for storing information about the sensor. |
| 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> (No Cite) US 4800512 A | US 4800512 | US Full | 1 | In rotary engines or power units or sets, such as for example in the case of pumps, generators, fans, turbo-sets, compressors and the like, study of the running behavior is carried out at more or less regular intervals, with a view to detecting possible changes. These changes can lead for example to oscillations or pulsations and can be due to intermittent or shock pulses or wave emission conditions of the bearing (unbalanced), and as a result of temperature changes in the machine housing and in the bearings. Monitoring of the running behavior of such rotary machines is of great importance both for the safety and maintenance of such machines, as well as to ensure that their life is not shortened. |
| 11 | <input type="checkbox"/> (No Cite) US 4121574 A | US 4121574 | US Full | 1 | Method and apparatus for measuring and displaying the vital signs of a patient wearing an alpha-numeric identification bracelet, including a temperature sensing probe for making body contact with the patient, a portable, data-gathering acquisition unit and... |